CWRI90014 Questions & Research in Creative Writing

Credit Points:	6.25
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)
Dates & Locations:	2015, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus.
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 12 hours Total Time Commitment: 85 hours
Prerequisites:	Enrolment in 101AA Ph.D Arts or MR-ARTSTHS Master of Arts.
Corequisites:	None
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None
Non Allowed Subjects:	None
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Support and Engagement Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry. <t <a="" a="" academic="" adjustments="" adviser="" all="" and="" are="" be="" disability="" discuss="" encouraged="" enhance="" equity="" faculty="" feel="" href="http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability" impact="" in="" made="" matter="" may="" meeting="" minimise="" of="" on="" participation="" policy="" programs.="" reasonable="" requirements="" steps="" student="" student's="" students="" study,="" subject="" support:="" take="" the="" their="" this="" to="" university="" university's="" upon="" who="" will="" with="">http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability</t>
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Subject Overview:	This subject asks: What are the kinds of questions creative writing academics address to texts? What are the critical tools, frameworks, and theories that are relevant to creative writing theses? We will select from the past 10 years a number of completed CW thesis dissertations to read and analyse, critique and assess. Finally we will look at the examiners reports in relation to our own assessments of these theses. The subject will be conducted as a series of seminars with student presentations.
Learning Outcomes:	Students who completes this subject should have: # enhanced knowledge of the topic or area of scholarship taught in the module, # an ability to reflect upon their own research work in relation to the content of the module, and # enhanced engagement with leading-edge research in Arts today.
Assessment:	Presentation equivalent to 2500 words, due throughout semester (100%)
Prescribed Texts:	None
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees

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Generic Skills:

The subjects will contribute, through teaching and discussion with academic staff and peers, to developing the skills and capacities identified in the University-defined Graduate Attributes for the PhD, in particular:

- $_{\#}$ the capacity to contextualise research within an international corpus of specialist knowledge,
- # an advanced ability to evaluate and synthesise research-based and scholarly literature,
- $_{\#}\,$ an advanced understanding of key disciplinary and multi-disciplinary norms and perspectives relevant to the field.

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